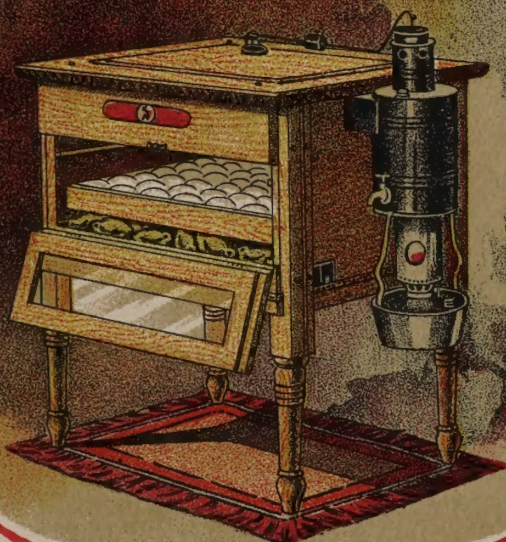


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THE Wooden Hen



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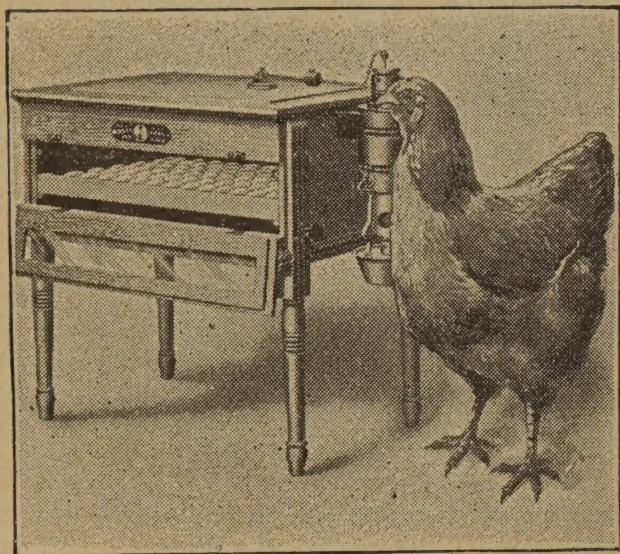
THE BIGGEST LITTLE THING ON EARTH.

200
Something New and Novel for the Boys.

INSTRUCTIVE, AMUSING AN PROFITABLE.

THE WOODEN HEN.

TRADE MARK REGISTERED.

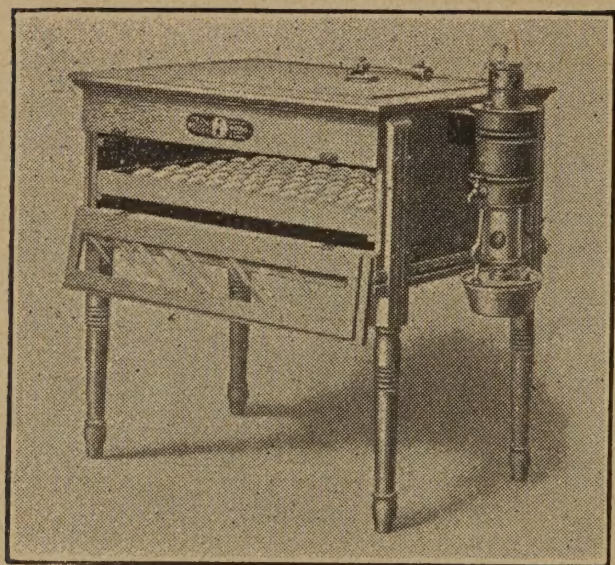


Size, 14x16 x19 Weight, 45 lbs.; Capacity, 50 Eggs.
Size, 14x20 x28: " 65 lbs.; Capacity, 100 Eggs.
Size. 14x28½x37; " 100 lbs.; Capacity, 200 Eggs.

**While but the size of a Live Hen, it has over
Double the Capacity.**

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WOODEN HEN.

If Interested in artificial incubation on a large scale, send for catalogue of the Excelsior Incubators and Brooders.

Then and Now.



FOR hundreds of years the old speckled hen has held all the premiums and medals awarded as the most perfect and reliable hatcher. There have been competitors at one time or another, but they have been lost to view and others arisen. The hen has, however, kept on in the same old way. She sits and hatches now as she did before Noah took her into the ark. She still gathers the chicks under her wings, as though there were no brooder in the land. She is as reliable, true and faithful as ever.

But there are serious complaints made against her. She does not consider that young chickens are wanted in February and March instead of May and June. She does not care for the demand at Saratoga, Long Branch or New York markets; but when she gets ready to sit she will sit, commonly in May or June. *Another charge against her is*, that she can cover only thirteen or fifteen eggs, whereas a hatcher is wanted that will spread its warm body over any number at once. In point of time and numbers there is quite a difference.

SO THEY SAY —

"THE OLD HEN MUST GO."

She can not keep up with the demands of the times. The great difference between prices of June and October make it very desirable to produce chickens for the early market. This requires that they should be hatched in February and March. As it is out of season for the hens to be hatching this time of year, only a few can be obtained; so that the demand is not filled and the prices are kept up. To supply the place of the old live hen, multiplied many times, the ingenuity of man has gotten up the **Wooden Hen**, which is a machine for the hatching of chickens.

It seems unkind to the chicks to bring them into life with no mother to cluck to them and coddle them under her wings, but the ingenuity that made the machine for hatching them, has also made a machine for brooding them. It can not cluck to them and tell them when danger is coming, but it furnishes good, warm sides for the little ones to coddle up to, and down to protect them from the north wind. They can not run to it and tell it their little troubles, but they learn to love it, though dumb, and come to it for shelter.

The little ones, will, perhaps, miss the advice and counsel of a mother; they also escape some of the ills incident to the parental roof. If they are not in the immediate neighborhood of the infected fowl house they will be clear and free from lice, which are such a pest to the parental family. They will have to live where other fowls have lived, and fight on ground fought over before. However, with a good man at the head of affairs, or better still, a good woman or boy, who watches over them and helps them in their troubles, they will come through.

An incubator is a machine for hatching chickens. There are several forms, but they are all obliged to work to the same ends, and have to use the same means; so are made very much alike. The main thing required is to keep the eggs at or about the temperature of 104 degrees. The great difficulty is in keeping this uniform temperature, as it is so easy to destroy the life of the eggs. They will stand a chill better than an extra amount of heat. The reader has, perhaps, observed that a hen will sometimes leave her nest for a night, and the eggs get quite cold, and yet a good number of them will hatch; but this is very dangerous to the life of the chicks. The difficulty of

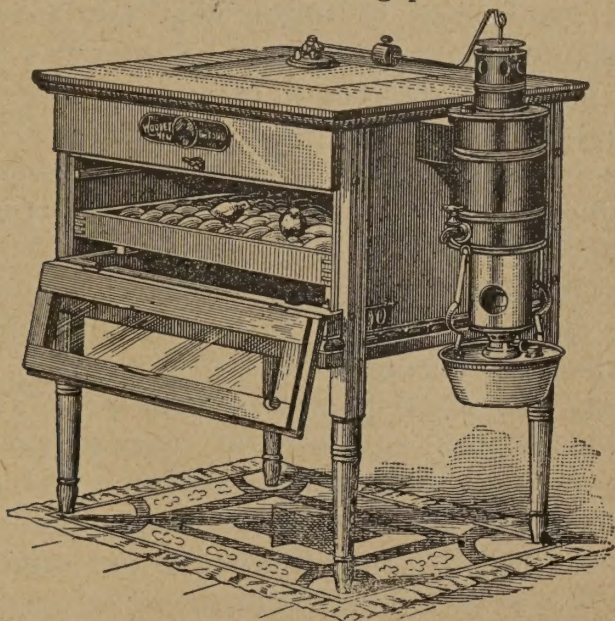
regulating the heat is the greatest hindrance to successfully operating the machine.

The **Wooden Hen** is no doubt the best machine on the market, as the regulator is made to work with great precision, so that the proprietor can go to bed and sleep, knowing if the weather changes to be very cold during the night, this regulator will act like a creature of eye and brain, and will turn on more heat, and vice versa when the temperature increases.

The **Wooden Hen** is no crude, experimental machine, put upon the market without having been thoroughly tested, and without a care whether it would or would not stand a practical test. The inventor, having had several years' experience in artificial hatching, long felt the necessity of some improvements in the machines to make more certain the results desired to be obtained, and at the same time to so simplify the apparatus as to reduce the cost of its construction and consequently its cost to the purchaser.

It is well known that the manner of regulating the heat in the egg chamber is one of the most vitally important points in the construction of an incubator. To this point the inventors of the various machines now on the market have addressed themselves with vary-

ing degrees of success, but without, in any case heretofore, attaining a perfect automatic regulator in which simplicity and accuracy were combined. The desired end has been reached in the production of the regulator used on the **Woode Hen**. Of this fact an examination will give the most conclusive proof. No ordinary intelligent person can fail to understand its action and adjust it to work with unfailing precision.



WOODEN HEN.

Equally important with a uniform and perfectly regulated temperature, is the maintaining of the moisture supply and thorough ventilation of the **Wooden Hen**. These are simply and perfectly provided for in this machine.

Construction.



ANY article to be first-class must be well constructed. This is particularly the case with incubators, in which heat and moisture are combined, and which, if not properly built, will certainly warp and split, thus rendering the machine unfit for work. This has too often been found to be the case with the numerous incubators now being sold. The construction of the **Wooden Hen** is of the very best, both as regards workmanship and material, excellence and durability being nowhere sacrificed to cheapness. The case is of first quality, thoroughly kiln-dried poplar or bass wood, and is finished natural with several coats of varnish, presenting an elegant appearance. The glass in the doors is double, with a dead-air space between them, thus reducing to the minimum the chance of outside changes of temperature affecting the working of the incubator. The case is lock-jointed or dove-tailed, all metal being used, and all fittings on the inside of the machine are galvanized or japanned, to prevent rust.

The Tank.

The hen sits on her eggs, thus supplying the heat of her body to the upper side of the egg. Following the teachings of nature, the **Wooden Hen** is constructed with the tank above and covering every part of the egg chamber. The tank is made of the best grade of galvanized iron or steel. All parts exposed to the heat are japanned. The tank is so constructed that the hot water is forced to flow over every portion of the egg chamber, so that the water is kept hot and in constant circulation, thus keeping all parts of the egg chamber at a uniform temperature.

The heating arrangement is so perfect that only a single burner is required, thus insuring low cost of operation.

The Heating

Is accomplished by means of a kerosene lamp, the chimney of which connects with a flue extending upwards through the water heater. The lamp is held in place by a spring holder, and it may be removed or placed in position by simply compressing the spring. Metal safety lamps with the best improved burners are used; the heat from the lamp passing

through the water heater only, there is absolutely no danger of fire.

The **Wooden Hen** may be heated by gas, if desired, instead of oil. The lamp has no connection with the regulating mechanism, so that the necessity of the careful adjustment of such connections every time the wick is trimmed is entirely dispensed with, a point to be considered.

Regulation of Heat

Is automatic, being accomplished by means of an improved thermostat. This new thermostat is extremely sensitive to any change of temperature in the egg chamber, expanding or contracting as the heat increases or decreases. The expansion or contraction of the thermostat is utilized to determine the lowering or raising of the frictionless valve over the lamp flue as may be required to maintain the heat at the desired point. The principle of regulation is to regulate the amount of heat at the heater before it enters the tank in the egg chamber. To accomplish this, two flues are provided for the lamp, through the heater of the tank, one of these flues being inside the other. So long as the temperature of the egg chamber does not rise above the point at which the regulator

is set, the valve will remain closed over the central flue of the lamp, thus forcing the heat from the lamp through the outer flue and heating the water. The instant the temperature of the egg chamber rises to the set point, the valve is automatically raised and all the heat from the lamp escapes through the central flue without heating the water. The operation of the chimney valves thus effectually stops the increase of heat in the egg chamber, but as soon as the temperature falls slightly the valve is automatically closed by the action of the regulator to turn on the heat; and it remains closed until the heat again rises to the set point.

From the above it will be seen that the temperature of the water that heats the machine is itself regulated, thus rendering it impossible that the eggs should become too hot or too cold, as the temperature of the egg chamber depends upon that of the water circulating through the tank.

An Equable Heat

Is maintained in all parts of the egg chamber, there not being half a degree difference between the coldest and warmest parts of the egg chamber at the level of the eggs. The regulator is set to change at a difference of from

1 to 2 degrees between the points at which the valves will open and close, and as the eggs heat and cool much more slowly than the air in the egg chamber, the variation of their heat is scarcely perceptible.

Ventilation.

Very necessary to successful operation is a supply of pure air and the removal of the foul gas constantly thrown off the eggs while under heat, and which, if left in the machine, will surely kill the embryo chicks. All the air that enters the egg chamber is regulated by the ventilator in the back. The ventilation is constant, being entirely independent of the regulation of the heat, so that there can never be an accumulation of foul air in the egg chamber.

Application of Moisture.

Ample provision is made for supplying moisture in the **Wooden Hen**. A moisture diffuser is placed in the egg chamber, and supplies the necessary moisture to the eggs.

The Egg Tray

Is the best made, and is an especial feature of the **Wooden Hen**, as it is constructed in a new and peculiar manner. All eggs are turned at once, and requires about half a minute; it is done without a slide or tray, a feature which commends it at once to all patrons.

The Lamp.

The lamp is metal and therefore non-explosive and durable. The chimney, as can be seen by looking at the cut, is also metal, and connects the burner to the heater. There is a mica aperture in the chimney, through which the blaze can be seen as readily as with a glass chimney.

The Burner.

The burner furnished with each **Wooden Hen** is manufactured expressly for me by one of the largest manufacturers of burners in the world, and each burner is warranted perfect in every respect.

Economy of Fuel.

In economy in fuel the **Wooden Hen** is without a rival. The cost of hatching one sitting of eggs will not exceed ten to twenty cents in moderate weather.

Thermometer.

With each incubator I furnish a carefully tested thermometer, which, in use, is placed on the eggs in the egg tray. All my thermometers are made especially for my machines, and are carefully tested by a standard, thus insuring accuracy. Cheap thermometers can not be depended upon.

Nursery.

This is the greatest invention ever connected with the incubator. The nursery is just below the egg tray, and the machine being so built and arranged in the egg-chamber that little chicks will drop below after they hatch. It is producing the very best results ever obtained from an incubator.

As soon as the chicks are hatched they crowd to the front of the incubator, where the light enters the glass door. The end of the egg tray is open, and the chicks pass through to the nursery beneath, thus obviating the necessity of constant attention to the chicks while they are hatching. The nursery also is of advantage in that the chicks are away from the other eggs, which would be injured by the eggs being rolled about by the chicks already hatched.

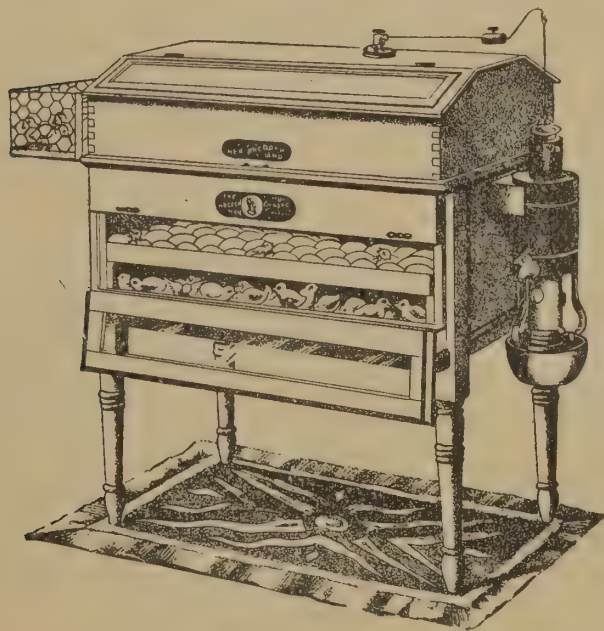
The nursery has a neat, plain bottom, and is easily cleaned by simply using a brush after the hatch is over. All Wooden Hen and Hen and Brooder Combined Incubators are furnished with this nursery.

My Guarantee.

I guarantee the **Wooden Hen** to be constructed of the very best material, and the workmanship first-class in every respect. If found otherwise will make same good. I guarantee the regulator to be sensitive, *positive in action*, and thoroughly reliable, having under full control, at *all times*, the heating arrangements. I guarantee the supply of moisture and ventilation to be sufficient at all times to obtain the best results. I guarantee the **Wooden Hen** so simple that a child can operate it successfully; or, in other words, I guarantee every claim made in this catalogue, and I am prepared to make my claims good, and upon receipt of a machine, if found not to be exactly as represented in this catalogue it can be immediately returned, and I will refund the money paid.

THE I. X. L. WOODEN HEN AND HEN BROODER COMBINED.

A GENUINE CHICKEN MILL.



Brooder on Top. Nursery Under Egg Tray.

ONE SIZE ONLY.

100 Egg Capacity. 100 Chick Capacity.

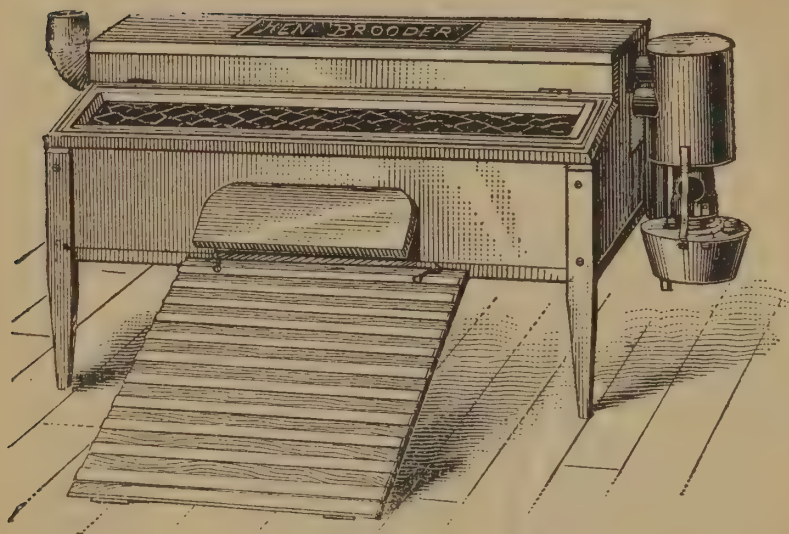
Size, 20 x 20 x 18 inches.

Weight, 85 lbs.

Price, \$16.50.

On the opposite page I give a correct illustration of the Wooden Hen and Hen Brooder Combined. This feature will be very much appreciated by those who have used other machines without a nursery under the egg tray and have been troubled to know what to do with the chicks that are just hatched and are too wet or too weak to be placed in a brooder, but strong enough to struggle about the egg drawer to the great inconvenience and sometimes fatal injury to the chicks that are only partially hatched from the shell. This brooder attachment is placed on the upper part of the machine and is lighted by glass door; the heat is furnished by the same lamp that supplies the Incubator, thereby saving the expense of running an extra lamp to heat the brooder. The hatching and rearing of chicks can, by the above apparatus, be carried on at the same time; the first lot of chicks can be left in the brooder until they are three weeks old, when they can be removed to a warm room or poultry house, as they are then considered strong enough to look after themselves, and you will have your brooder ready for the next lot. We furnish a yard or run with each of these machines, in fact, everything complete, as shown in cut, and they can be termed "A Complete Chicken Mill."

Hen Brooder.



Capacity, 50-chick; Size, 15x20; Weight, 25 lbs.

Price, \$5.00.

Capacity, 100-chick; Size, 20x26; Weight, 40 lbs.

Price, \$6.50.

Capacity, 150-chick; Size, 27x35; Weight, 65 lbs.

Price, \$9.00.

The Hen Brooder



OR ARTIFICIAL MOTHER, (of which the foregoing is an exact representation) is like the **Wooden Hen**, constructed throughout of the best material and natural finished, making it as handsome a piece of furniture as the **Wooden Hen**.

A perfect brooder is an essential accompaniment for an incubator, and I do not hesitate in saying and guaranteeing that I have the most perfect and most scientific brooder on the market.

It is as perfect for raising chicks, as my excellent hatcher is for hatching them, and completely answers the question that is often asked: "What will I do with the chicks after they are hatched?" It is the only one that imitates the hen in brooding chicks, viz: The chick presses its back close against the hen's body and is comforted by the warmth. In my brooder the chick gets under the hover covered with flannel, and is just as comfortable as when under a hen, but receives more comfort than a hen can give it, for the reason that the hen

will only brood them a few minutes at a time, but in this brooder they can stay under the warmth as long as they choose and return to it as often as they wish, which is almost continuously while they have down on them. The brooder can be moved from place to place, and you can let the chicks run in and out at pleasure; it can be closed up at night and is a perfect protection against rats, cats, and all other enemies.

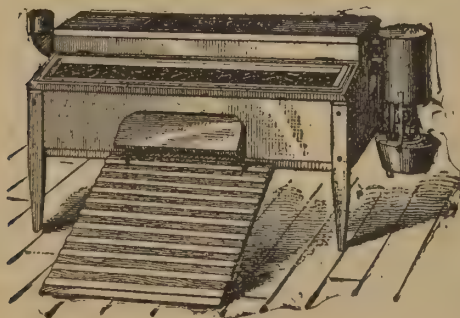
Young chicks are very helpful little creatures; they soon learn to pick and thrive, grow faster and are healthier when reared in the brooder than when cared for by a hen.

This brooder is the result of years of practical experience and study of the needs of the "motherless chick." It is a "top" heat brooder and perfect conditions for the healthy growth of the chicks are attained.

The construction of the **Hen Brooder** is such as insures the heating of all parts alike. Under the cover is a warm-air pipe, through which the warm, pure air comes from the heater. It rises to the cover, where it flows out and over the chickens, giving perfect ventilation and at the same time carrying off all poisonous gases, and with the warmth of the floor keeping the excrement dry and odorless and in condition to

be easily removed with a brush. The cover being about the same height as the chickens, they cannot climb upon each other, and there being no solid corners to crowd into, there can be no smothering. In fact, it is a perfect mother for chickens. It can be used anywhere. The back and front doors for the brooder consist of screen, so that the inside is as light as it can possibly be. It is a well known fact young chicks are less liable to sicken and die if provided with plenty of light, sunshine and air.

My brooders have stood, and will stand again, every test needed to prove them to be the best brooders in existence to-day, without any exception.



PRICE LIST OF THE WOODEN HEN

Including Thermometer, Moisture Pan and Everything Complete.
Ready for Immediate Use.

50-Egg Capacity, only.....	\$ 8.50
100-Egg Capacity, only.....	12.50
200-Egg Capacity, only.....	16.00

HEN BROODER

Including Lamp, Burner, Chimney, Wick and Everything Complete.

50-Chick Capacity, only.....	\$ 5.00
100-Chick Capacity, only.....	6.50
150-Chick Capacity, only.....	9.00

NOTE—I make but three sizes of the Wooden Hen and Hen Brooders.

I. X. L. Wooden Hen and Hen Brooder Combined.

ONE SIZE ONLY.

100-Egg and 100 Chick Capacity, only.....	\$16.50
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Terms.

If machines are shipped by freight, cash must invariably accompany the order. If shipped by express, the machines will be sent C. O. D. if one-half the price is sent with the order. These are my terms. I treat all customers alike.

In Ordering

State plainly where goods are to be shipped, and whether by freight or express. Do not fail to give postoffice address plainly in your letter. I advise that all machines be shipped by express, as they will reach you in much shorter time. I box all machines carefully and they

will go as securely by freight as express, but if you are in a hurry, have your machines shipped by express. They will reach you quicker, and the charges will not be very much more. The weights of the machines are given, so you can ascertain the charges by applying to your nearest express or freight agent. All orders receive prompt attention. I carry a stock of machines on hand and can therefore ship at once on receipt of order.

Send Money

By postoffice money order, registered letter, draft on New York, Chicago or St. Louis, or by express or express money order. Any of the above ways is safe. Address all letters and make all money orders, registered letters and drafts payable to **Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.**

References.

As to my responsibility, I refer you to Mr. John C. McConnell, agent of the Pacific, American and United States Express Companies; Mr. S. A. Lee, agent of the Adams Express Company; Mr. D. F. Wilcox, Postmaster; State Savings, Loan and trust Company, or any other bank or business firm in Quincy.

TESTIMONIALS.

HATCHED 75 PER CENT BOTH TIMES.

Little Rock, Ark.

Mr. Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: In February last, I bought one of your 100-egg Wooden Hens, which came to hand all right. I was very well pleased with same. Set it twice and it hatched 75 per cent of the eggs put in.

Yours truly,

322 Broadway. MRS. L. M. HAMILTON.

STILL DOING GOOD WORK.

San Francisco, Cal.

Geo. H. Stahl, Esq., Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: The Wooden Hen bought of you several years ago is still in very good condition, and does its work satisfactorily. I am going to dispose of it as soon as I can and order a larger outfit.

Yours truly,

MRS. STRUCK STEINBERG.

15 Wood Street.

BEATS THE OLD HEN.

Calhan, Colo.

Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: Our 200-egg Wooden Hen works fine. It beats the old hen.

Respectfully,

MRS. A. HENDRICKSON.

70 PER CENT, THEN 82 PER CENT.

Stamford, Conn.

Mr. Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: I have been very successful with the Wooden Hen and Hen Brooder bought about a year ago. The first time it hatched 70 per cent, and the next time 82 per cent.

Yours very truly,

WM. CALL.

BOTH WORK WELL.

Washington, D. C.

Mr. Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: I have two of your machines, one a Wooden Hen and the other an Excelsior. Both work very well.

Yours truly,

WM. H. DRIGGS,

2236 Mass. Ave.

Com. U. S. N.

GIVES MUCH PLEASURE.

Wilmington, Del.

Mr. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: The Wooden Hen I bought of you gives me much pleasure. We had three successful hatches. I am delighted and everybody is surprised at the results.

Yours truly,

JOHN KLEINSTUBER.

32 FINE CHICKS.

Miami, Fla.

Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: From 48 eggs I hatched 32 fine chicks, and a part of the machine was missing. I expect to do better next time.

Respectfully,

L. C. RICHMOND.

VERY SATISFACTORY.

Albany, Ga.

Mr. Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: The Wooden Hen I bought of you about one year ago has proven very satisfactory. €

Yours respectfully, J. J. McCRANIE.

DON'T YOU?

Chicago, Ill.

Mr. Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: My second hatch came off the 11th of this month and have had a very good hatch, for out of 166 untested eggs that had been shipped over 300 miles in the cold weather, I got 127 chicks. I think I did well. Don't you?

Yours truly, GEO. YOUNG.
8807 Commercial Ave., Sta. S.

A PROUD LADY.

Dallas City, Ill.

Mr. Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: I wish to report my two hatches with the 200-egg Wooden Hen Incubator. Put in 170 eggs, tested out 33 which were unfertile, leaving 137, and out of that number I got 116 fine, strong, healthy chicks. For the second hatch I put in 220 eggs, tested out 40, and hatched 165 fine chicks. I am proud of my machine.

Yours truly,

MRS. FRED L. OCHSNER.

WELL PLEASED.

Talala, Ind. Ty.

Mr. Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: I bought one of your Wooden Hens about a year ago. The first trial I got 45 chicks out of 50 eggs; the second 33 chicks, and the next I got 28. I am well pleased, and will want a larger one soon.

Yours truly,

D. L. RICH.

THREE SUCCESSFUL HATCHES.

Boyleston, Ind.

Mr. Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: I have had three hatches with the Wooden Hen, 72 per cent, 74 per cent and 78 per cent. The Wooden Hen is all right.

Yours truly,
D. NESMITH.

HATCHED EVERY FERTILE EGG.

Luton, Iowa.

Mr. Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: We did quite well with the Wooden Hen. Got 80 per cent out of 100 eggs. Every fertile egg hatched.

Yours respectfully,
MRS. JNO. HUNT SR.

A GOOD HATCH.

Radcliffe, Iowa.

Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: My last hatch with the Wooden Hen in June was 23 chicks out of 31 eggs, which I consider good for that time of the year.

Yours truly,
J. R. WRIGHT.

VERY PROUD.

Newton, Kan.

Mr. G. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: We are very proud of our Wooden Hen. Hatched 30 chicks from 46 eggs the first time and 39 chicks from 44 eggs the second time. The Hen Brooder is just the thing for raising the chicks, and is less trouble than a lot of old hens. It does not kill the chicks.

Yours truly,
LUCY E. HARMSTON.

OF OCURSE.

New Orleans, La.

Mr. Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: My last hatch with the Wooden Hen was 45 chicks out of 50 eggs. Of course I am well pleased.

Yours truly,

JOSEPH PARPAL.

1322 Elysian Field Ave.

ENTIRE SATISFACTION.

East Hiram, Maine.

Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: The two Wooden Hens bought of you about two years ago have given entire satisfaction. They hatched about 80 per cent. I have a large hot-air machine that does not work as well as the Wooden Hens.

Yours truly,

CHAS. W. OSGOOD.

100 PER CENT HATCH.

Danversport, Mass.

Mr. Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: The Wooden Hen is all you claim it to be. It certainly will hatch every fertile egg, for out of 34 fertile eggs I got 34 handsome chicks. They are now a week old, very smart, and have not lost one.

Yours truly,

MIRA C. BLAKE.

FIVE GOOD HATCHES.

Blooms, Md.

Mr. Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: I have had five hatches with the Wooden Hen as follows: 38 chicks from 40 eggs; 39 chicks

from 40 eggs; 40 chicks from 40 eggs; 34 chicks from 40 egg, and 40 chicks from 40 eggs. How is that? The Brooder is the finest thing to care for the little chicks. Yours truly,

CHARLES E. KIMMEY.

"CRACKER-JACK."

Pontiac, Mich.

Mr. Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: I must tell you about my second hatch with the Wooden Hen. I set 204 eggs, tested out 39, and got 151 chicks. I think this is a "cracker-jack" hatch for July.

Respectfully yours,

ALBERT YAHN.

TWO GOOD HATCHES.

Walnut Grove, Minn.

Mr. Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: My first hatch with the 100-egg Wooden Hen bought last year was 66 chicks; the next time, 74 chicks. Expect to do better this year.

Yours very truly,

JAMES W. MARVIN.

80 PER CENT THE FIRST TIME.

Vicksburg, Miss.

Mr. Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: My first attempt at artificial incubation was 80 per cent of the eggs. We are much pleased.

Yours truly,

D. G. GOODRUM.

41 CHICKS POPPED OUT.

St. Louis, Mo.

Mr. Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: My hatches with the Wooden Hen are splendid. I got 43 chicks out of 47 eggs. 41 popped out of the shell the 21st day. You will receive my order for a larger machine in about two months.

Yours truly,

FRANK J. CARROLL.

3849 Lincoln Ave.

VERY PROUD. NO WONDER.

Kahoka, Mo.

Mr. Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: I have 500 chicks, 90 ducks, 30 turkeys, 23 guineas and 9 geese, all hatched by the Wooden Hen. I keep it going all the time. My first hatch was 100 chicks, and I am very proud.

Yours truly,

MARY E. KUNTZ.

CHICKS STRONG AND WELL.

Fullerton, Neb.

Mr. Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: My Wooden Hen hatched 71 live, healthy chicks the first of the week. They seem strong and well. I like my Incubator very well, and it does all you claim for it.

Yours truly, MRS. F. FINCH.

146 CHICKS.

Elk City, Neb.

Mr. Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: I put 214 eggs in the Wooden Hen, out of that I

candled down to 171, and out of that number hatched 146 chicks. Your machine is perfect.

Yours respectfully,

MRS. G. H. OSTLER.

100 FINE CHICKS.

Passaic, N. J.

Mr. Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: I hatched 100 fine chicks out of 125 fertile eggs and they are doing fine. The first lot is six weeks old, full feathered, and have not lost one.

Yours truly,

FRED. B. COON.

41 CHICKS FROM 45 EGGS.

Palatine Bridge, N. Y.

George H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: I am well pleased with the Wooden Hen. Just completed a hatch of 41 chicks from 45 eggs. I shall order a large Excelsior next season.

Yours truly, EARL P. VAN WIE.

TWO 75 PER CENT HATCHES.

Hempstead, L. I., N. Y.

Mr. Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: I have had two hatches with the Wooden Hen, and averaged 75 per cent.

Yours truly,
L. C. HUTCHESON.

AVERAGE 75 PER CENT.

Edenton, N. C.

Mr. Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: I am using the Wooden Hen bought of you last year, very successfully. My hatches average 75 per cent.

Yours truly,

THOS. J. HOSKINS, M. D.

SEVEN SUCCESSFUL HATCHES.

Guthrie, Okla.

Mr. Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: Again I take pleasure in writing you of another successful hatch with the 100-egg Wooden Hen bought last year. I have 87 fine chicks from 100 eggs. This is the seventh successful hatch I have had. I never had less than 54 chicks and as high as 90.

Very respectfully,

MRS. J. R. NELSON.

A "CORKER".

Chemawa, Ore.

Mr. Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: Your little Wooden Hen is a "corker." It was at work all winter, and the last four hatches averaged 91½ per cent against 82 per cent with a much advertised hot air machine.

Yours respectfully, C. D. BIAL.

82 FINE CHICKS.

Ariel, Pa.

Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: My first hatch with the 100-egg Wooden Hen was 82 fine chicks from 88 fertile eggs.

Yours truly, E. E. LESHER.

HATCHED 85 PER CENT.

Havana, Cuba.

Mr. Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.—Dear Sir: The 100-egg Wooden Hen Incubator I bought of you last month hatched 85 per cent. Consideration must be taken of the fact that this is the first time I ever handled an Incubator. I am well satisfied with it, and you may use this letter if you see fit.

Yours truly,

22 San Nicolas St.

THOS. J. SAINZ.

THE HEN BROODER



50, 100 AND 150 CHICK
CAPACITY.